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The communication filed 26 November 2004 is not fully responsive to the Office communication mailed 17 September 2004 because the amendment to the claims does not comply with revised rules for amendments. Specifically, the previous claims contained claims 126-135; these claims have not been indicated as cancelled or amended. Applicant has presented new claims in place of these claims, but without a proper indication of their status. For instance, it is unclear if these are amended claims because the status identifier does not indicate they are "Amended," nor are there any markings indicating where any such amendments are; alternatively, the status of the previous claims 126-135 is not clearly indicated. Applicant is required to provide new claims indicating the proper status of the previous claims 126-135 as amended or canceled, and optionally indicating the proper status of claims 126-145 as indicated in the most recent response.

Applicant is given a **TIME PERIOD** of **ONE (1) MONTH** or **THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to submit an amendment in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121, effective, March 21, 2001, in order to avoid abandonment.

EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Any inquiry concerning this communication should be directed to Examiner **David A. Lambertson**, Art Unit 1636, whose telephone number is (703) 308-8365.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application should be directed to the Technology Center receptionist whose telephone number is (703) 308-0196.

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